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goes on to state in writing that "The reduction to 1 hazardous fragment in 600 square feet MSD is a risk to the public that must be assumed by those officials approving the adoption of this reduced MSD". To date, neither Granite nor ACE have provided sufficient supporting information to allow DTSC to fully analyze the associated risk of the recommended 200 foot MSD. DTSC recognizes the ACE's experience with OE safety issues, but has concerns regarding the 1% risk. Given the above, DTSC can accept ACE's recommended 200 foot MSD, with the addition of a voluntary separation distance (VSD) encompassing the maximum fragmentation distance for the most probable munition.

DTSC believes that the OE investigation and remediation can be protective of the local community provided the following requirements are implemented and maintained throughout the course of the investigation and remediation:

1. Granite will delegate safety and quality control oversight of OE investigation, detection and remediation to ACE. All field decisions for blow-in-place or storage for destruction in a chamber will remain with the ACE.
2. ACE, in their oversight capacity, will be assured by Granite that the Minimum Separation Area Notification and Implementation Plan (MSAP) is operational and in place according to the final approved OE Remedial Design Document (RDD).
3. At a minimum, all Defense Department Explosive Safety Board recommendations and requirements will be implemented when performing OE scanning and removal of OE.
4. Properly trained ACE OE experts will be present on the project site with authority to stop work and/or modify procedures if site conditions dictate.
5. ACE will monitor all field activities to provide compliance with Quality Assurance/Quality Control plans and safety procedures. ACE will also be authorized to randomly check the OE work through appropriate means.
6. In addition to the 200 foot MSD recommended by ACE, a VSD encompassing the broader area of all residents, businesses and schools located within the maximum fragmentation distance for the most probable munition, currently 1,080 and 1,181 feet, will be notified of the potential hazards associated with an accidental detonation. The notification of all residents, businesses and schools within the VSD will include a public meeting and notification component so people can make informed decisions on the risks posed to them by this activity. Any residents, schools or businesses located within the VSD choosing to temporarily withdraw, will be offered the same support services as residents, schools and businesses located within the 200 foot MSD.